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ART MUSEUM THIS WEEK

GALLERY TALKS: Today, 1:30 p.m. CHARDIN 1699-1779. Mark Johnson.
Wednesday, 1:30 p.m. AFRICAN ART: THE CONGO. John Moore.

AUDIO-VISUAL PROGRAM: Today, 1:30-4:30 p.m. NICHOLAS HILLIARD, PAINTER TO
QUEEN ELIZABETH I. Janet L. Mack. Tuesday-Saturday, a
variety of tapes are presented throughout the day.

ART FILM: Wednesday, 12:30 and 7:00 p.m. CHINA: THE MANCHU RULE.
The Manchus ruled during the Ch'ing Dynasty (1644-1912), the
last traditional period of Chinese history, when there was
mounting contact with the West and conflict with Japan. 30 minutes.

FILM PROGRAM: Wednesday, 8:00 p.m. SAN FRANCISCO. Starring Clark Gable,
Spencer Tracy, and Jeanette MacDonald. 1936. 115 minutes.

EXHIBITIONS: Ground Level Exhibition Area: CHARDIN 1699-1779. More than
90 paintings, in oil and pastel, will make up the first
comprehensive exhibition of the works of Jean Siméon Chardin.
August 12 is the last day.
Classroom Level Exhibition Area: CHARDIN AND THE STILL-LIFE
TRADITION IN FRANCE. This exhibition traces the evolution of
still life painting in the 18th century and examines the varied
themes in the 19th century still life revival inspired by Chardin
and his followers. August 12 is the last day.
Upper Level Exhibition Area: THE FACE OF CHINA AS SEEN BY
PHOTOGRAPHERS AND TRAVELERS FROM 1860 TO 1912. The land, people,
and culture of China during the last decades of the Ch'ing
Dynasty are documented in this exhibition of more than 200
photographs taken by unknown as well as known Western photographers.
Through August 26, 1979.

Closed on Mondays.

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